



Los Angeles County Harbor-UCLA

Pediatric Critical Care Medicine Fellowship

at
Harbor-UCLA Medical Center &
CHOC Children's Hospital
of Orange County



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Our fellowship program is a multidisciplinary clinical and research training program which has been accredited by the ACGME since 1990. Our goal is to provide the trainee with the necessary knowledge and skills to optimally care for critically ill children. These goals are accomplished through clinical service, structured conferences, and consistent feedback.



Graduation Dinner, 2014



What Makes Us Unique

The strength of our program is based on the complementary experiences obtained in the two hospitals. Harbor-UCLA is a Los Angeles County safety net institution, while CHOC Children's Hospital of Orange County (CHOC) is a tertiary children's center.

At Harbor-UCLA, the Fellow is exposed to a wide variety of pathology predominantly from an underserved population. Designated as one of Los Angeles County's Level 1 pediatric trauma centers, our Fellows gain a significant amount of experience in caring for children with traumatic injuries.

In addition to a large inpatient PICU service, CHOC delivers an experience which includes a dedicated Cardiac ICU (CVICU), busy transport and sedation services, as well as higher level therapies such as bone marrow transplantation and ECMO.

Our leadership is active nationally. Richard Mink serves on the ABP Education and Training Committee, the RC for Pediatrics. and the Executive Committee of the Council of Pediatric Subspecialties. Nick Anas is an Associate Editor for the journal *Pediatric Critical Care Medicine*.

Rotating at these 2 centers, the Fellow will:

- Practice in 2 hospitals which are highly complementary both in patient population and administrative structure
- Interface with over 14 board-certified pediatric intensivists as well as numerous subspecialists dedicated to pediatrics
- Engage in a structured curriculum:

Clinical Duties

PICU, CVICU, Trauma, Anesthesia, Sedation, Elective

Weekly Fellow Conference

Journal Club
Case Conference
Case Question Sessions
Interactive Sessions on
Professionalism, Communication,
Bioethics, QI, and more
Didactic Series

Monthly Scholarly Activity Seminars

Tools for academic success Fellow presentations on project progress Consistent faculty guidance on research project

We consistently strive to provide exceptional educational and research opportunities; our fellows have received residency teaching awards for three consecutive years. Please visit our Fellowship website for further information:

http://www.harborpeds.org/fellowships/criticalcare

About the South Bay and Orange County



The South Bay is seated in the Southern portion of Los Angeles along the Pacific Ocean, while Orange County lies

further south, nestled in between the Santa Ana mountains and the beach. Both offer a wide range of services such as restaurants, shopping, museums, with world-class entertainment

and sporting venues. The proximity to the Pacific Ocean provides a temperate climate which allows for year-round outdoor activities. Sailing, surfing,



hiking, and mountain-biking are within easy reach, with miles of sandy beaches and abundant parks to explore. For snow sport enthusiasts, great conditions can be found in the nearby San Gabriel mountains, or world-class Mammoth Mountain in the Sierra Nevada mountain range.

Los Angeles County is one of the most culturally diverse areas in the country, and together with Orange County, serve a population of about 13 million. The large area and population afford services and opportunity which are unparalleled across the country.







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Candidates should apply through ERAS http://www.aamc.org/audienceeras.htm

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